

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Yukinori MATSUMOTO et al.

Group Art Unit: 2676

Serial No.: 09/994,829

Examiner: Wesner SAJOUS

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For: TEXTURE INFORMATION ASSIGNMENT METHOD, OBJECT EXTRACTION METHOD, THREE-DIMENSIONAL MODEL GENERATING METHOD, AND APPARATUS THEREOF

Attorney Docket No.: 990191B
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action September 17, 2004 for one month from December 17, 2004 to January 17, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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